



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Office of Partnerships and Grants Development

2001 District Grants Review

INTRODUCTION

The Government of the District of Columbia awards over \$40 million per year in grants to nonprofit, community and faith-based organizations in order to provide services to residents of the District of Columbia. This 2001 District Grants Review is designed to be a planning tool for organizations that hope to apply for District grants in 2002. Since many of the District's grants to the community are funded through federal funds that are available annually, a majority of the following announcements likely will be repeated in 2002. Often, however, the target population or particular service model varies from year to year. The grants are divided into subject categories: arts, community service, education, environment, health, housing, human services, and public safety/justice. Within each category, the grants are arranged chronologically beginning with January 2001.

To keep you abreast of new District grant opportunities, OPGD also provides a weekly newsletter *Funding Alert* that includes recent announcements of grant opportunities for which citizen groups and non-profit organizations can apply. The funds come from the federal government, District government, and various foundations, and are available to support community programs and social services throughout the city. You can subscribe to *Funding Alert* by sending an email to fundingalert@dc.gov or visiting http://opgd.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_alerts/index.shtm.

ARTS

Grants for the Arts. *The DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities* announces approximately \$1 million to support District of Columbia artists and arts and community organizations. Grants will be awarded in the following program areas:

Grants-In-Aid to Organizations: Provides matching funds up to \$15,000 to arts organizations for general operating support. (Deadline 5/24/01)

City Arts Projects: Provides support from \$1,000 to \$15,000 to individuals and organizations for projects that expose the broader community to art and culture. (Deadline 5/17/01)

Small Projects Program: Provides grants in the amount of \$1,000 to \$15,000 to individuals and arts organizations for small-scale projects and professional development. (Deadline 12/6/01)

Arts Education Projects: Provides support from \$1,000 to \$15,000 to individuals and organizations for projects that provide exposure to the arts for young people. (Deadline 5/31/01)

Artist Fellowship Program: Provides grants in the amount of \$5,000 to individual artists based on career achievement and artistic merit. (Deadline 5/24/01)

East of the River Arts Initiative: Provides funds from \$1,000 to \$20,000 to organizations for arts programs east of the Anacostia River. (Deadline 6/7/01).

For more information about the funding programs call (202) 724-5613 or visit <http://dcarts.dc.gov>.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

AmeriCorps Partnerships. *The DC Commission on National and Community Service* has funds for AmeriCorps partnerships. AmeriCorps is a national service network that provides full and part-time opportunities for members to serve their communities and address local environmental, educational, public safety or other human needs. Local nonprofit organizations, institutions of higher education and District government agencies may apply to establish AmeriCorps programs. The deadline is April 23, 2001. There is \$500,000 available and each program will be funded based on a fixed amount per participant. Applications can be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 1010 South, Washington, DC 20001. For additional information, call (202) 727-7925.

EDUCATION

Education Professional Development Program. *The DC Office of Postsecondary Education, Research and Assistance* solicits applications to design a program that provides teachers with skills needed to improve the quality of instruction in mathematics and science. The deadline for submitting applications is January 15, 2001. Applications may be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 12th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see http://www.cfo.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm.

Reading Excellence Act Program Grant. *DC Public Schools* announces a notice of funding availability for two components of the Reading Excellence Act Program Grant. Approximately \$4.2 million will be Awarded for Local Reading Improvement. DC Public School Local Education Agency (LEA) and the following Charter Schools (Arts & Technology, Edison Friendship and Meridian) with grades Kindergarten through third only are eligible to apply for LRI funds. More specifically, applicants must be either in Title I school improvement status, have the highest or second highest number of poor children in the LEA, or have the highest or second highest percent of poor children in the LEA. Applicant schools may use REA funds to support the cost associated with the implementation of a reading skills improvement program that it has proposed. REA funds must be used to supplement, and not supplant, Federal and local funds.

Approximately \$400,000 will be awarded for Tutoring Assistance. All DC Public schools and DC Public Charter Schools who currently operate tutoring models and have demonstrated success are eligible to apply for tutorial assistance. These models must be guided by scientifically based reading research and consistent with the LEA's curriculum. Applicant schools may use REA funds to support the cost associated with the implementation of a reading skills improvement program that it has proposed. REA funds must be used to supplement, and not supplant, Federal and local funds.

The Request for Application (RFA) will be released on April 3, 2001 and the deadline for submission is May 31, 2001 at 5:00 p.m. Applications can be obtained from 441 4th Street (Judiciary Square), NW, 400 South, Washington, DC, 20001. For additional information please contact the Office of Research and Analysis (ORA) at 202-727-7775. Also see http://www.cfo.washingtondc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm.

Adult Education and Family Literacy. *The University of the District of Columbia State Education Agency* announces funds to make adult education and literacy activities available and accessible in the areas of Adult Basic Education, English as a Second Language, Correctional Education, and Distance Learning Education. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations, community-based groups, institutions of higher education, public housing authorities and libraries. The deadline is May 30, 2001. The maximum grant award is \$50,000 per year per applicant. The Request for Applications is available at the following three locations: Office of Research and Analysis, 441 4th St. NW, Room 400 South; UDC, 4340 Connecticut Ave. NW, Room 302; and the Department of Employment Services, One Stop Center, 2626 Naylor Rd., SE. For information, contact (202) 274-6680 or (202) 274-7181.

DC Public Charter School Credit Enhancement Fund. *The DC Office of Banking and Financial Institutions and the DC Public Charter School Credit Enhancement Fund Committee* has issued Rules establishing application procedures for funds to provide credit enhancement for the financing of the construction, purchase, and/or rehabilitation of public charter schools facilities. There are two separate eligibility categories:

- Charter schools or nonprofit organizations that promote public charter school credit enhancement and are acting on the behalf of two or more District charter schools;
- Nonprofit organizations that promote credit enhancement and are acting on behalf of two or more District charter schools.

A total \$5 million is available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Half or \$2.50 million is available for each of the above listed eligibility categories. The application process will remain open to the extent the funds are available. The rules are available on the OBF website at www.obfi.dc.gov or can be obtained at the OBF offices, 1400 L Street, NW, Suite 400 Washington, DC 20005. For additional information, call (202) 727-1563.

Technology Literacy Challenge Program/Round II. *The District of Columbia Public Schools (DCPS)* announces funds to further implement the District's statewide plan for the integration of technology into classroom instruction. Funds will be granted to school districts or local education agencies in which a majority of children are Title I eligible. Individual District of Columbia Public Schools are not eligible to apply. Previous award recipients from Round I are eligible to apply, however, the applicant must show evidence of need to support existing program through expansion and/or enhancement. Approximately \$2.25 million in grant funds will be awarded. Grant funds can be used for: applications of technology to support the school reform effort; acquisition of hardware and software; professional development; educational services for adults and families. The Request for Application (RFA) will be released on May 2, 2001 and the deadline for submission is June 18, 2001 at 5:00 p.m. Applications can be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, 400 South, Washington, D.C., 20001. For additional information please contact the Office of Research and Analysis (ORA) at 202-727-7775. The RFA will be available on the OCFO website, located at www.cfo.washingtondc.gov, no later than May 11, 2001.

Even Start Family Literacy Program. *DC Public Schools, Categorical Programs and Development* announces funds to provide family literacy programs that involve parents and children from birth through age eight (8). The program is designed to break the cycle of poverty and illiteracy by improving the educational opportunities of the nation's low-income families through the integration of childhood education, and adult and child interaction. A Pre-Application Conference will be held on September 6, 2001 from 1pm to 4pm at the Logan Administration Building Auditorium, 215 G Street NE, Washington, DC. The deadline is September 21, 2001. Approximately \$439,000 is available for grants. The Request for Applications is available from the Office of Research and Analysis, 441 4th Street NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC. And online at http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtml. For additional information, contact (202) 727-7775.

Latino Community Education Grant. *The Mayor's Office on Latino Affairs* announces funds for community-based organizations serving the Latino community to enhance their existing educational programs. Grants of up to \$50,000 are eligible. The deadline is August 31, 2001. Applications may be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC 20001. It is also available online http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtml. For additional information, contact the Office of Research and Analysis at (202) 727-7775.

Even Start Family Literacy Program, Round II. *DC Public Schools* announces funds to provide family literacy programs that involve parents and children from birth through age eight (8). The intent is to help break the cycle of poverty and illiteracy by improving the educational opportunities of low-income families through the integration of childhood education and adult-child interaction. The deadline is December 20, 2001. Approximately \$239,000 will be awarded. A Pre-Application Conference is scheduled for November 14, 2001 from 1:00pm to 3:45pm at 941 N. Capitol St. NE, 4th Floor, Training Room A, Washington, DC. The Request for Application is available online at http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtml and from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC, 20001. Contact the Office of Research and Analysis at (202) 727-7775.

FY 2002 Dwight D. Eisenhower Professional Development Program Grant.

The DC State Educational Office, the Office of Postsecondary Education, Research and Assistance is soliciting applications to design a program that provides teachers with skills needed to improve the quality of instruction in mathematics and science. A total of \$330,428 in federal grant funds is available under the US Dept. of Education Title II, Part B. The Request for Application will be available November 30, 2001 and may be obtained from the Office of Research and Analysis (ORA), 441 4th Street, NW, Room 400 (south) or from their website after December 7th (www.cfo.washington.com). The deadline is March 1, 2002. A pre-application conference will be held Thursday, January 17, 2002 at ORA (see above address – metro redline – Judiciary Square, 4th St. Exit.) For additional information, please contact ORA at 202-727-7775.

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Water Quality Research Grant. *The DC Department of Health, Environmental Health Administration* announces funds for conducting research and studies on water quality. Only nonprofit organizations and universities are eligible. The deadline is April 13, 2001. For additional information, contact Jerusalem Bekele or Anita Kay at (202) 535-2190. Proposals are online at <http://www.dchealth.com/eha/wqd/welcome.htm>.

Watershed Protection Project Grants. *The DC Department of Health, Environmental Health Authority* announces funds to assist with controlling nonpoint source pollution, protecting the District's watersheds, and meeting the District's commitment to the protection and restoration of the Chesapeake Bay. Educational institutions, District government agencies, and nonprofit organizations are eligible. The deadline is August 17, 2001. Approximately \$300,000 is available. The Request for Applications is available from Sheila Besse, DC Department of Health, 51 N Street, NE, Suite 5024, Washington, DC 20002. For additional information, contact Sheila Besse at (202) 535-2241.

HEALTH

WIC-CSFP Food Center Grant. *The DC Department of Health, Office of Nutrition Programs (ONP), Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) and the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)* announce funds to develop, plan, implement and manage a WIC-CSFP Food Center in the Anacostia Community of Washington, DC. The purpose of the WIC-CSFP Food Center grant is to provide nutritional assistance to approximately 3,500 women, infants, children and seniors participating in the WIC or CSFP in the District of Columbia. The center will also house public and private adjunct health and social service programs for WIC and CSFP customers and the community. The deadline is January 25, 2001. One award of \$1,121,000 will be made. The deadline for submission is January 25, 2001. Applications can be obtained from the Office of Research and Analysis, 717 14th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Applications are also available at http://www.cfo.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm.

Community Outreach Campaign. *The DC Department of Health, Office of Nutrition Programs (ONP), Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC)* solicits applications to develop, plan, implement and evaluate a comprehensive, aggressive community outreach campaign targeting pregnant women, new mothers, infants and children in under served groups. These under served groups include underrepresented ethnic groups, families living in homeless shelters and transitional housing, children in foster care, children with special health care needs, pregnant teenagers and teenage mothers, families making the transition from Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) to the workforce, and families enrolled in the DC Healthy Families Program. The deadline is January 31, 2001. One award of \$325,000 will be made. The Request for Application (RFA) will be available on December 22, 2000 from 717 14th Street, NW, 12th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see http://www.cfo.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm

Case Management/Care Coordination. *The DC Department of Health's Office of Maternal and Child Health* announces funds for services to improve the health and well being of women and infants in the District of Columbia by reducing maternal/infant morbidity and mortality through improved access to primary health care, prenatal and post-partum care and expanded outreach efforts. Nonprofit faith-based and community-based groups with strong ties to the target population of new families in Wards 1, 2 and 4 are eligible to apply. The deadline is March 30, 2001. Applications can be obtained from the Office of Research and Analysis, 441 4th Street NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC 20001. For more information, contact (202) 727-7775. Also see http://www.cfo.washingtondc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm.

NEW! FY2001/2002 Centralized Housing Information and Assessment (CHIA)/ Gatekeeper & Ryan White Title II Grant. *The DC Department of Health, HIV/AIDS Administration* announces funds to provide housing and support services to persons with HIV/AIDS in the following categories:

- CHIA/Gatekeeper, \$600,000
- Early Intervention Strategies, \$400,000
- Public Housing Initiative, \$150,000
- HIV/AIDS Medication Adherence Project, \$200,000
- HIV/AIDS Residential Treatment Program, \$600,000
- Title II Planning & Development, \$60,000

The deadline is September 28, 2001. Applications may be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC 20001. They are also available online http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm. For additional information, contact the Office of Research and Analysis at (202) 727-7775.

Capital Improvement Projects at DC Nonprofit Health Clinics. *The DC Department of Health* solicits letters of interest from DC-based nonprofit health clinics for major renovations of facilities in order to promote access, ease of patient flow and increased capacity to meet community needs. Eligible organizations must be free-standing healthcare organizations that provide free medical care, counseling and social services to an established patient base. Approximately \$4 million is available total. Letters of interest are due on September 7, 2001. For information, please contact Theodore Gordon at (202) 442-5999.

STD Internet Surveillance Grant. *DC Department of Health* announces funds to design, implement and evaluate an assessment of Internet chat room activity in the District of Columbia as a means for establishing sexual contacts. The deadline is November 5, 2001. A total of \$75,000 is available. The Request for Applications are available from the Office of Research and Analysis, 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC and online at http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm. Contact (202) 727-7775.

Prevention and Support Services Grant. *The DC Department of Health, HIV/AIDS Administration* announces funds to conceptualize, develop and manage relevant and effective HIV/AIDS prevention interventions. Funds are available in the following categories:

❑ **HIV Prevention Programs**

- Injection Drug Users: \$156,601
- Black* Gay/Bisexual Men: \$563,759 (two service areas – 1-2 awards each)
- Black* Heterosexual Women: \$183,500 (two service areas – 1 award each)
- White Gay/Bisexual Men: \$440,000 (two service areas – 1-2 awards)
- Persons Living with HIV/AIDS: \$150,000
- Youth/Young Adults (ages 13 to 24): \$100,000
- Gay/Bisexual Men of Color: \$200,000 (*Targets are Latino Men who have sex with Men* – 1-2 awards)
- Homeless: \$110,000
- Transgender Persons: \$100,000 (1-2 awards)

❑ **Community-Level Interventions**

- Faith-Community Initiative: \$140,000 (1-2 awards)
- Mass Media and Social Marketing for Gay/Bisexual Men of Color: \$360,000 (multiple awards)

The deadline is November 19, 2001. The Request for Application is available online at http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm and from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC, 20001. For additional information please contact the Office of Research and Analysis at (202) 727-7775.

Latino Health Partnership. *The Mayor's Office on Latino Affairs* announces the Latino Community Health Collaboration (LCHC) to provide all Latino residents with a comprehensive and integrated range of health services from infancy and childhood, through to youth and adulthood, and into their senior years. The Collaboration will help to leverage the impact of available funds by consolidating services under a single, coordinated partnership, carried out through several community based clinics and organizations. The Collaboration shall consist of one Health Clinic and two Community Based Organizations.

The total amount of funding available to the entire collaboration is a maximum of \$425,000. Funds must be allocated according to the following framework:

1. Up to \$75,000 for health services to each of the four key population segments (e.g. infants and pregnant women; mothers and children; youth and; seniors) for a total of \$300,000, as follows: a) Up to \$75,000 for health services to infants and pregnant women; b) Up to \$75,000 for health services to mothers and children; c) Up to \$75,000 for health services to youth; d) Up to \$75,000 for health services to seniors. These services should include: health needs assessments; early detection; health referrals, health education and prevention.

Note: Note: Segments (a) and (b) or \$150,000 must go a Health Clinic that is currently providing services in the District and will provide the services specified in this RFA as a part of the Latino Health Collaboration. Segments

(c) and (d) must go to two separate qualified Community Based Organizations who will specifically provide services to the identified populations as a part of the Latino Health Collaboration.

2. The Health Clinic conforming to the Latino Health Collaboration shall also be eligible to receive up to \$125,000 in additional funds for the *Health Clinic* to provide integrated health services (as defined above), for all four population segments as identified in (a) through (d) above. *Funds must be allocated evenly across all four population segments, or \$31,250 per segment.*

The Request for Application is available online at http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm and from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC, 20001. For additional information please contact the Office of Research and Analysis at (202) 727-7775.

Grants to Operate One or More Senior Wellness Centers. *The DC Office on Aging* announces funds to operate one or more Senior Wellness Centers in the District of Columbia that will provide health promotion and disease prevention activities and programs that promote self-care, healthy lifestyles, and longevity for District residents aged 60 and over. Applicants should partner with hospitals or other organizations specializing in health care. The deadline is November 30, 2001. One to three grant awards will be made ranging from \$225,000 to \$300,000. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available for pick-up on October 30, 2001 at the D.C. Office on Aging, 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 900 South, Washington, DC 20001.

Sub-Grants for Preventive Health and Health Services. *The DC Department of Health, Preventive Health Services Administration* announces funds for programs that are directed toward controlling the spread of disease, reducing the incidence of preventable deaths and disabilities, chronic diseases and cancer, and improving the quality of life for all residents. Organizations with programs in the area of preventive health and health services are eligible. The deadline is December 17, 2001. The Request for Applications will be available beginning November 20, 2001 from the DC Department of Health, Preventive Health Services Administration, 825 N. Capitol Street, NE, 3rd Floor, Washington, DC and at http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm. The RFA will also be available to the public at the Annual Public Hearing on the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant, which is scheduled for Monday, November 19th from 5:30pm to 7:30pm at the DC Department of Health, 825 N. Capitol Street, NE, 4th Floor Conference Room. For more information, contact Carolyn Young Bothuel at (202) 442-9142.

HOUSING

Energy Conservation Measures in Low Income Residences. *The DC Energy Office* requests grant applications for fiscal years 2002 through 2004 from District of Columbia tax-exempt, nonprofit, community-based organizations to provide for the purchase and installation of energy conservation measures in single and multi-family residences. Examples of allowable measures include insulation, caulking, and furnace repairs when recommended by an energy survey. Matching contributions are encouraged. Funds available are expected to be in excess of \$700,000. The deadline is July 9, 2001. The Request for Grant Applications is available from the DC Energy Office, 2000 14th Street NW, Suite 300 East, Washington, DC. For more information, contact (202) 673-6750.

FY2001/2002 Housing Grant for People Living with HIV/AIDS. *The DC Department of Health, HIV/AIDS Administration* announces funds to provide housing and other assistance to people living with HIV/AIDS. The primary target population is low-income persons living with HIV/AIDS in the District of Columbia. The deadline is August 10, 2001. Approximately \$3.5 million to fund the following eleven program areas:

• Tenant-Based Rental Assistance	\$1,217,000
• Supportive Housing – Emergency Shelter	300,000
• Supportive Housing – Transitional Housing	800,000
• HIV/AIDS Burial Assistance	150,000
• Client Empowerment Program	150,000
• Housing Arbitration/Mediation Program	150,000
• Client-Based Payment System	150,000
• Capacity Building & Seed Finding	200,000
• Repairs on HAA Funded Buildings	100,000
• Continuity of Care	300,000
• Housing Search Demonstration Project	60,000

Applications may be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, D.C. 20001. For additional information, contact the Office of Research and Analysis at (202) 727-7775. Also see http://www.cfo.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm.

HUMAN SERVICES

Home Visits to TANF Customers. *The DC Department of Human Services, Income Maintenance Administration* seeks community-based and faith-based organizations to encourage TANF “long stayer” customers to actively pursue self-sufficiency, identify barriers to employment, and explore factors resulting in long-term TANF receipt and failure to transition from welfare to work. One or more grants will be awarded to organizations that will provide home visits to a minimum of 250 customers per month. The deadline is June 22, 2001.

DC Early Intervention Program. *DC Department of Human Services, Office of Early Childhood Development* announces funds to provide appropriate early intervention programs to infants and toddlers who have or are suspected of having developmental delays or disabilities. Approximately \$1.5 million is available for new and expanded early intervention programs, support outreach, training and research. The Request for Applications are available from the Office of Research and Analysis, 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC and online at http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm. Contact (202) 727-7775.

Mini-Subgrants to Small Non-profit, Community-Based Organizations. *The DC Department of Human Services, Income Maintenance Administration* will award grant funds to small community-based and faith-based organizations that directly assist TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) customers and other low income families and children in the District of Columbia. Multiple awards will be made of up to \$40,000 for a 120-day period. Eligible organizations include small community-based organizations, faith-based organizations (churches, synagogues, mosques or religiously-based social service affiliates of such organizations), nonprofit organizations located in the District of Columbia with an annual budget of not more than \$150,000. The service and activities to be funded should have an immediate and direct impact to TANF customers. The Request for Application will be released on November 30, 2001. The deadline is December 28, 2001 at 5:00 pm. Applications can be obtained from the Office of Research and Analysis (ORA), 441 4th Street, NW, Room 400 (south) or from their website after December 6th (www.cfo.washington.com). For additional information, please contact ORA at 202-727-7775.

PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE

Stop Violence Against Women Formula Grant. *The Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice's Justice Grants Administration* announces funds to provide a variety of advocacy and counseling services to adult female victims of domestic violence. The deadline for applications is February 16, 2001. Up to nine awards will be made totaling \$262,130. The Request for Applications is available from the Justice Grants Administration, 441 Fourth Street NW, Room CS120, Washington, DC, 20001. For more information, contact Kimberly Woodard at (202) 727-0872.

Juvenile Justice Challenge Grant: Gender-Specific Services for Female Adolescents. *The DC Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice, Justice Grants Administration* announces funds to support challenge grant activities for female adolescents who have been victims of violence or at risk for involvement in the juvenile justice system and violence. Organizations and individual consultants are eligible. The deadline is June 22, 2001. The Request for Applications will be available on June 8, 2001 from: Doris Howard, Grants Manager, Justice Grants Administration, 441 4th Street NW, 11th Floor, Office of the City Administrator, Washington, DC 20001, (202) 727-6495.

The Services, Training, Officers, and Prosecution (STOP) Violence Against Women Formula Grant. *The DC Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice, Justice Grants Administration* announces funds for the following projects:

- Residential (i.e., shelter-based) services for children who have witnessed domestic violence.
- Legal representation for victims of domestic violence in Civil Protection Order cases.

- Hospital-based medical advocacy services for victims of domestic violence.
- Case management services for victims of domestic violence who reside in either Ward 6, 7, or 8 of the District.

Any agency or organization, whether public or private, nonprofit, or governmental, is eligible to receive funding. The deadline is July 16, 2001. Up to four awards totaling \$166,000 will be made. The Request for Applications is available from the Office of Research and Analysis, 441 4th Street, NW Suite 400 South, Washington D.C. 20001.

The Services, Training, Officers, and Prosecution (STOP) Violence Against Women Formula Grant. *The DC Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice, Justice Grants Administration* announces funds for the following projects:

- Group or individual advocacy and counseling services to adult female victims of domestic violence.
- Advocacy and outreach services to adult female victims of domestic violence who are members of traditionally under-served populations.
- Crisis counseling services to adult female victims of domestic violence who are members of traditionally under-served populations.

Qualified nonprofit, nongovernmental agencies are invited to submit applications. The deadline is July 16, 2001. Up to three awards totaling \$86,000 will be made. The Request for Applications is available from the Office of Research and Analysis, 441 4th Street, NW Suite 400 South, Washington D.C. 20001.

Operation “Weed and Seed” Initiative. *The DC Justice Grants Administration* announces funds to assist in supporting and increasing activities of existing programs in targeted communities that provide alternatives for delinquent behavior. Operation “Weed and Seed” is a community-based, comprehensive, multi-agency approach to combating violent crime, drug use and gang activity in high-crime neighborhoods with the aim of community revitalization. Only nonprofit organizations serving the Marshall Heights/Eastgate neighborhood or the North Capitol neighborhood are eligible. The deadline is August 27, 2001. The deadline for nonprofit organizations serving the Marshall Heights/Eastgate neighborhood ONLY has been extended to August 31, 2001. The complete Request for Proposals may be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite IC030, Washington, DC 20002. For more information, contact Compton Douglas at (202) 727-6552.

Crime Victims Assistance Grant. *The DC Office of Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice, Justice Grants Administration* announces funds for providing direct services to the following four populations:

- Victims of Sexual Assault
- Victims of Domestic Violence
- Victims of Child Abuse
- Previously Under-Served Priority Areas

Nonprofit and public organizations are eligible. The deadline is October 15, 2001. The Request for Applications are available from the Office of Research and Analysis, 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC.

The Office of Partnerships and Grants Development facilitates the establishment and enhancement of public-private partnerships and grant applications that support the Mayor’s vision and the District’s strategic priorities. For more information about grants and related projects, please contact the office.

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